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Introducer's Statement of Intent
LB 1231

Chairperson: Senator Jim Jensen
Committee: Health and Human Services
Date of Hearing: 2/10/2000

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

The purpose of LB1231 is to coordinate and consolidate multiple commissions and boards for the purpose of more efficiently planning, managing and monitoring early childhood care and education in Nebraska.

LB1231 creates the Early Childhood Interagency Coordinating Council to advise and assist the collaborating agencies in carrying out the provisions of the Early Intervention Act, The Quality Child Care Act, sections 79-1101 to 79-1104, and other early childhood care and education initiatives under state supervision.

LB1231 provides that members serving on the Interagency Coordinating Council as of the effective date of LB1231 shall constitute the Early Childhood Interagency Coordinating Council and serve the remainder of their current term. The Governor shall make additional appointments to provide representation as required by the legislation and to fill vacancies.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Pam Brown